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INTERVIEW

1. JANUARY 22 TUNIS PRESS REPRINTED INTERVIEW NOUIRA GRANTED EARLIER TOLEBANESE AL ANWAR. ASKED WHAT HE THOUGHT OF SECRETARY'S STATEMENT RE USE OF FORCE AS DEFENSE AGAINST ECONOMIC STRANGULATION, PRIME MINISTER'S REPLY WAS MODERATE. HE SAID SECRETARY'S STATEMENT HAD CONSISTED OF TEXT, THEN A NOTE, THEN A COMMENTARY. SUBSEQUENTLY SECRETARY HAD GIVEN FURTHER EXPLANATION AND PRESIDENT HIMSELF HAD SPOKENTO THE SUBJECT. "ONE GETS TO THE POINT OF ASKING IF ALL THAT IS REALLY CLEAR," NOUIRA SAID. "IN THE MEANTIME"HE ADDED, "THE SECRETARY'S REMARKS GIVE RISE TO REFLECTION. PETROLEUM IS A DOUBLE-EDGED WEAPON. ARAB RESOURCES ARE GREAT, AND THIS OBLIGES THE ARAB STATES TO SHOW GREAT WISDOM. IN FACT WE ARE PRESENT AT A TRUE TRANSFER OF FINANCIAL POWER." SEELYE

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